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FM AMEMBASSY ABU DHABI

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 7010

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FMTAG RANDOLPH AFB TX//FAP

USCINCEUR VAIHINGEN GER//ECJ4/7-SARA-T//

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TAGS: MASS, TC

SUBJ: FY 78 FMS TRAINING FOR UAE: UPT

REFS: A) AF/LGFT MSG 081815Z NOV 77; B) ABU DHABI 3331 DTG
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DTG 030430Z DEC 77; E) AF/LGFT MSG 031705Z DEC 77

1. FOR HQ USAF/LGFT: REGRET THAT OUR UNFAMILIARITY WITH USAF
BUREAUCRATIC PROCEDURES CREATING SO MUCH DIFFICULTY IN GETTING
OUR REQUEST FOR UPT FOR UAE AF PERSONNEL INTO PROPER CHANNELS.
ONLY GUIDANCE WE HAVE HERE (WE HAVE NO MAAG OR DATT) IS AFM 50-29,
DATED 3 MAY 76 WHICH IN PARAS 4-1 A AND B GIVE US IMPRESSION
THAT COUNTRY REQUESTS FOR FMST MAY BE INITIATED BY USEMBASSY AND
SUBMITTED THROUGH DEPT OF STATE OR DOD CHANNELS TO HQ USAF/LGFT.
FROM WORDING PARA 3 OF REFTEL A) WHICH REQUESTED FORMAL REQUEST
FOR THIS TRAINING BE SUBMITTED THROUGH "APPROPRIATE SECSTATE
CHENNELS" AND SUBSEQUENTLY ASKED THAT AMEMBASSY ABU DHABI ADVISE
AF/LGFT OF UAE DESIRES BY 2 DEC 77, WE ASSUMED (OBVIOUSLY MIS-
TAKENLY) THAT THIS EMBASSY COULD SERVE AS "APPROPRIATE SECSTAE
CHANNEL" FOR THIS PURPOSE.

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2. FOR DEPARTMENT, ATTN: NAE/ARP AND PM/SAS: REFTEL A) QUOTED
ESTIMATED TRAINING COSTS FOR TEN UAE AIR FORCE PERSONNEL TO
ENTER USAF UNDERGRADUATE PILOT TRAINING (UPT) IN CONUS IN FY
78 FOLLOWING ENGLISH LANGUAGE TRAINING AT DOLS 2,323,339.
REQUEST FOR THIS ESTIMATE WAS SUBMITTED INITIALLY THROUGH
USCINCEUR CHANNELS WITH EMBASSY'S CONCURRENCE AS CONSEQUENCE

OCTOBER 1977 VISIT TO UAZSDG USCINCEUR CHIEF OF FOREIGN MILITARY TRAINING BRANCH LTC RALPH M. BROMAN. VISIT OF LTC BROMAN TO UAE FOR PURPOSES OF REVIEWING UAE ARMED FORCES REQUESTS FOR US FMS TRAINING CASES WAS APPROVED PER SECDEF/ASD-ISA 080031Z SSP 77.

3. UAE ARMED FORCES DESIRE USAF LOA FOR UPT FOR TEF OF ITS PERSONNEL. UPT NOT AVAILABLE IN UAE. HITHERTO SUCH TRAINING HAS BEEN OBTAINED IN PAKISTAN OR THROUGH UK BUT ACCORDING UAE AF PERSONNEL CUTBACK BY UK IN SPACES AVAILABLE FOR TRAINING FOREIGN PERSONNEL OBLIGATE UAE TO TURN ELSEWHERE FOR SUCH TRAINING. SUCH TRAINING IS CONSIDERED ESSENTIAL BY UAE IF PROPER RATIO OF PILOTS TO AIRCRAFT TO BE MAINTAINED OVER PERIOD OF NEXT SEVERAL YEARS. EMBASSY CONSIDERS CONUS TRAINING FOR UAE AF PERSONNEL TO BE IN US NATIONAL INTEREST AND CONSISTENT WITH US ARMS SALES POLICY IN THIS REGION.

4. ACTION REQUESTED: THAT DEPARTMENT APPROVE UAE REQUEST FOR THIS TRAINING AND SO INFORM HQ USAF/LGFT SO THAT IT CAN GO FORWARD WITH PREPARATION OF LOA FOR PRESENTATION BY THIS EMBASSY TO UAE AF. DICKMAN

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